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TAKUMI TAKAHASHI	)	Examiner: K. M. Gagliostro
Application No.: 10/098,545	)	Group Art Unit: 2681
Filed: March 18, 2002	)	
For: IMAGE TRANSFER SYSTEM	)	March 14, 2005

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND STATUS INQUIRY

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed, together with a copy and translation of an official letter dated February 8, 2005, issued by the Japanese Patent Office in connection with the Japanese counterpart of this application.

The concise explanation of relevance for the non-English documents is provided in the partial English translations attached to those documents.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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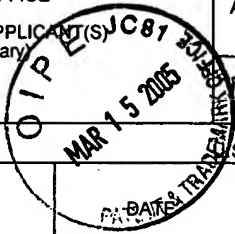
Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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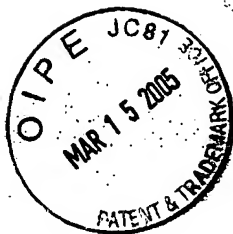
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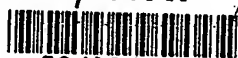
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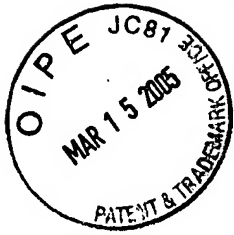
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